



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Paul BURT et al.

Group Art Unit: 1725

Application No.: 10/519,359

Examiner: G. EVANS

Filed: December 28, 2004

Docket No.: 122241

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LASER WELDING WITH PLASMA
SUPPRESSION (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the December 21, 2005 Office Action, the period for response being extended one month by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.